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AMERICAN ESSENTIALS, INC.		)	
	Opposer,	)	
<b>v.</b>		)	Opposition No. 91178872
SARAMAR, LLC.		)	••
~	Applicant.	) )	

## **ANSWER**

Saramar, LLC., a limited liability company organized and existing under the laws of Delaware, (hereinafter "Applicant"), by and through undersigned counsel, answers the Notice of Opposition filed by American Essentials, Inc. (hereinafter "Opposer"), and, as to each numbered paragraph of the Opposition, states as follows:

- 1. Applicant is without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations contained in Paragraph 1 and therefore denies same.
  - 2. Applicant denies the allegations contained in Paragraph 2.
  - 3. Applicant denies the allegations contained in Paragraph 3.
  - 4. Applicant denies the allegations contained in Paragraph 4.
  - 5. Applicant denies the allegations contained in Paragraph 5.
  - 6. Applicant denies the allegations contained in Paragraph 6.

- 7. Applicant denies the allegations contained in Paragraph 7.
- 8. Applicant denies the allegations contained in Paragraph 8.
- 9. Applicant denies the allegations contained in Paragraph 9.

WHEREFORE, Applicant requests that judgment be entered in its favor and that Opposer's Notice of Opposition be dismissed with prejudice.

This the 19th of October, 2007.

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